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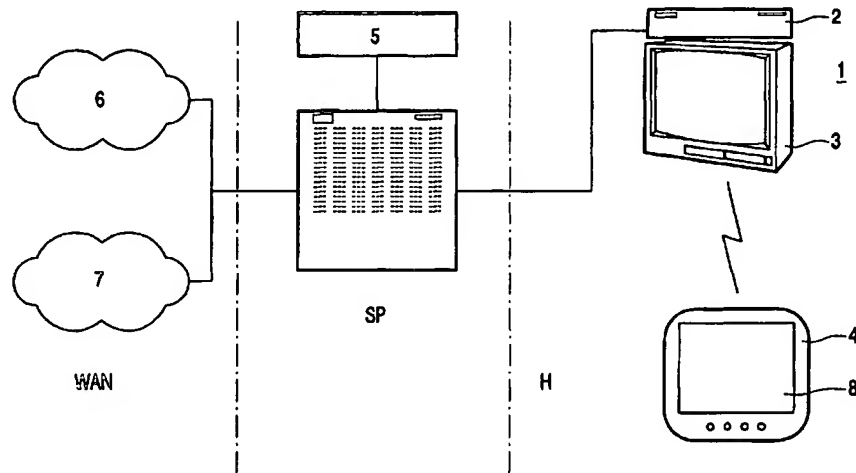
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(57) Abstract: A remote control device 4 is for use with a television receiving apparatus 1. The television receiving apparatus 1 comprises a system controller 2, a receiver for receiving broadcast video data and supplemental textual data and a TV display 3 for displaying the data. The remote control device 4 is operable to communicate with the system controller 2 of the television receiving apparatus 1 and has its own display 8 and user-operable control. The remote control device 4 comprises means responsive to the user operable control for requesting and downloading video and/or supplemental textual data received by the television receiving apparatus 1. This video and/or supplemental textual data is not currently displayed on the TV display, and is viewed by the user on the display 8 of the remote control device 4.

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